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- Be part of PlanningPartnerNet: email discussion group
- Receive Update: the Planning Partnership Newsletter
- Participate in committees and project teams
- Receive discount on Certified Planning Commissioners' Program
- Eligible to The Annual Great Partners in Planning Partnership Award

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☐ Yes, I would like information on volunteering

Name: _____
Address: _____

City : _____
State: _____
ZIP: _____
Phone: (Work) _____ (Home) _____
Cell Phone: _____ Fax: _____
Email: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

☐ Yes, I would like to help with a contribution of _____ \$200
_____ \$100 ____ \$50 ____ \$25 other amount \$ _____

Please make check payable to:
The Planning Partnership
Hamilton County Regional Planning Commission

☐ A contribution is not possible at this time

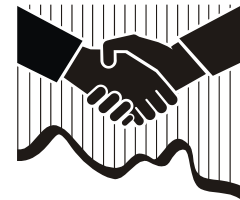
Please return this application form
and the attached signed agreement to:

The Planning Partnership
Hamilton County Regional Planning Commission
138 East Court Street, Suite 807
Cincinnati, OHIO 45202
or
fax to: (513) 946-4475

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HAMILTON COUNTY

**Regional
Planning
Commission**

what is the planning partnership

The Planning Partnership is a collaborative planning and coordinating committee of the Hamilton County Regional Planning Commission (HCRPC) for carrying out long range planning duties, through non-binding advisory recommendations to the HCRPC.

planning partnership initiatives

The Planning Partnership has initiated important community planning activities that can only succeed through collaboration with other public, private and civic sector organizations and the support of committed individuals. Current major initiatives include Community COMPASS (Comprehensive Master Plan and Strategies for Hamilton



County), Capital Improvement Priorities (CIP) Steering Team, the Certified Planning Commissioners' Program, the Stormwater Management Education Program, the Cost Government Services Study, and the Introductory Workshop for Newly Elected Officials.

planning partnership members

The Planning Partnership is made up of three types of members:

- **Jurisdiction members**

Open to all the communities in Hamilton County, voting rights and fee based on population, acreage and property valuation. The Planning Partnership is now gathered 28 jurisdiction members, which is more than half of jurisdictions in Hamilton County.

- **Affiliate members**

Open to organizations in the public, private and civic sectors. Voluntary fee. Participate in the Planning Partnership committees.

- **Friends of the Partnership**

Open to individuals. Voluntary fee, Participate in the Planning Partnership committees.

desired outcomes

All governments, planning commission and communities in Hamilton County:

- Work together effectively (in and adjacent to Hamilton County) to resolve issues related to growth management, land use, green space, transportation, housing, public services, utilities, and other cross-jurisdictional issues.
- Effectively communicate between planning commissions and planning officials at all levels and forms of government, between public, private and civic sector stakeholders.
- Build consensus on a unified, comprehensive community vision for Hamilton County.

cooperation agreement for friends of the planning partnership

WHEREAS, the Planning Partnership is designated as the long range collaborative planning and coordinating committee of the Hamilton County Regional Planning Commission by virtue of cooperation agreements signed in 2000 and 2001 by the Board of County Commissioners of Hamilton County and municipalities and townships in Hamilton County.

WHEREAS, the mission of the Planning Partnership is to bring together public, private and civic sector organizations and individuals engaged in community planning in Hamilton County so that mutual goals related to physical, economic and social issues can be planned for comprehensively and achieved collaboratively.

WHEREAS, the Planning Partnership has identified ten desired outcomes, attached hereto, to guide the development of its programs and initiatives in collaboration with public, private and civic sectors organizations and individuals.

WHEREAS, to further the mission of the Planning Partnership, and in recognition of the desires of certain individuals to support the mission of the Planning Partnership, and in recognition of the benefits of having such support, the Planning Partnership, by Article IX of the Bylaws, establishes the affiliation of "Friends" of the Planning Partnership.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the signatory commit to abide by the Planning Partnership's Bylaws, to support the mission of the Planning Partnership and to participate in the initiatives of the Planning Partnership as a Friend of the Partnership Member.

Signature _____

NAME _____ DATE _____

Accepted by the Planning Partnership:

Chairperson _____ Date _____

- Create and implement local and countywide plans through continuous and collaborative planning relationships with planning partners in the public, private and civic sectors.
- Plan for and achieve efficient use for our physical, economic and social resources
- Determine, achieve and sustain local goals and plans within a regional framework
- Use local authority, and government closest to the people, to create and implement community based solutions to local problems
- Make informed decisions through consideration of local and countywide comprehensive plans
- Use a countywide information system (database) to support the comprehensive planning needs of local and county government
- Leverage their collaborative power to improve funding and policy change at all levels of government